

AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS

1. (currently amended) A light housing for at least partially shielding a light source ~~from a viewer~~, comprising:
 - ~~a) a light source having an emitting portion and a rear portion, wherein the emitting portion is located opposite the rear portion;~~
 - a) b) a shield having a rear wall located posterior to a the rear portion of the light source, wherein the light source has an emitting portion located opposite the rear portion, and wherein the shield rear wall has a top edge and a bottom edge, and the shield is separate from the light source and is adapted ~~is formed~~ to partially enclose but not contact the light source, and ~~wherein the shield is free from permanent attachment to the light source;~~ and
 - b) e) at least one attachment arm for attaching the shield to a fixed object.
2. (cancelled)
3. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the rear wall has a semi-circular shape.
4. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the shield further comprises at least one sidewall.
5. (original) The light housing according to claim 3, further comprising two sidewalls, wherein the two sidewalls are curved and the rear wall has a semi-circular shape.
6. (original) The light housing according to claim 4, wherein the curved sidewalls extend from the semi-circular rear wall at substantially the same radius as the semi-circular rear wall so that the two curved sidewalls are contiguous with the semi-circular rear wall and together form a uniform semi-circular shape.
7. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the shield further comprises an aperture in the rear wall.
8. (original) The light housing according to claim 6, wherein aperture is an arch-shaped opening that is contiguous with the bottom edge of the rear wall.

9. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the shield further comprises a top that is attached to the top edge and at least partially covers that portion of the shield, which encloses the light source.
10. (previously presented) A light housing for at least partially shielding a light source from a viewer, comprising:
 - a) a shield having a rear wall located between the light source and the viewer, wherein the rear wall has a top edge and a bottom edge, and is formed to partially enclose the light source;
 - b) at least one attachment arm for attaching the shield to a fixed object; and
 - c) a top that is attached to the top edge and at least partially covers that portion of the shield which encloses the light source, wherein the top is flat and extends perpendicularly at a 90° angle from the rear wall.
11. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the attachment arm is attached to the shield at the bottom edge of the rear wall.
12. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the attachment arm is injection molded as a unitary construction contiguous with the shield.
13. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the attachment arm comprises one or more devices selected from the group consisting of glue, screws, clamps, staples, nails, stakes, screws, clamps, tie downs, Velcro®, tape, wire ties, buttons, snaps, weights, hooks, metal rods, or magnetic attachments.
14. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the attachment arm comprises at least one stake.
15. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the attachment arm is made from a material selected from the group consisting of steel, stainless steel, aluminum alloys, iron alloys, thermoplastic polymers, thermoset polymers, and cellulosic materials.
16. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the rear wall is constructed from a material selected from the group consisting of metal, plastic, composite material, and cellulosic material.

17. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the rear wall comprises a reflective material.
18. (original) The light housing according to claim 1, wherein the rear wall comprises louvers.
19. (original) A light housing for at least partially shielding a light source from a viewer, comprising:
- a) a shield having a rear wall located between the light source and the viewer, wherein the rear wall has a top edge and a bottom edge, and is formed to partially enclose the light source;
 - b) a top that is attached to the top edge and at least partially covers that portion of the shield which encloses the light source;
 - c) an arch-shaped aperture in the rear wall of the shield for removably inserting the light source, wherein the arch-shaped aperture is open and contiguous with the bottom edge of the rear wall; and
 - d) at least one attachment arm, wherein the attachment arm comprises two round metal stakes, the metal stakes being connected to and extending below the semi-circular rear wall of the shield and function to secure the shield by inserting the stakes into the ground in close proximity to the light source.
20. (currently amended) A method for at least partially shielding a light source from a viewer comprising providing a light source having an emitting portion and a rear portion, wherein the emitting portion is located opposite the rear portion, a shield having a rear wall located posterior to the rear portion of the light source, wherein the rear wall has a top edge and a bottom edge, and is formed to partially enclose but not contact the light source, an optional top that is attached to the top edge and at least partially covers that portion of the shield which encloses the light source, and at least one attachment arm, ~~and wherein the shield is free from permanent attachment to the light source.~~
21. (currently amended) A light housing for at least partially shielding a light source from a viewer, comprising:

- a) a shield having a rear wall located between the light source and the viewer, wherein the rear wall has a top edge and a bottom edge, and is formed to partially enclose the light source;
- b) an aperture in the rear wall of the shield, wherein the aperture is contiguous with the bottom edge of the rear wall; and
- c) at least one attachment arm for attaching the shield to a fixed object.